

BYRN MAWR GIRLS IN REVOLT AGAINST PENALTY SYSTEM

President Thomas Vexes Students by Abruptly Leaving Protest Meeting After Stating Her Case.

Strained relations between Miss M. Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr, and students at the institution over the present system of cuts for missing lectures, and the elimination of the cut system have been further augmented and brought to a practical deadlock because Doctor Thomas walked from a protest meeting and refused to hear further what the young women had to say about their side of the controversy.

Under the old system of cuts for missing lectures the college was invited to attend or not as they pleased. Now, under the new arrangement, they are penalized for cutting. To this they are protesting.

A large meeting was held last night. Among the speakers was Miss Helen Taft, daughter of the former President of the United States. The entire faculty of the college was present.

GERMANTOWN ROBBERS FORCED TO LEAVE BOOTY

Increased Vigilance of Residents and Police Spoil Good Jobs. Robbers, who for several weeks have been plundering homes and stores in Germantown, caused further alarm late last night and early today when three would-be burglars were frightened off without their booty through the increased vigilance of the residents and the police.

According to the police, seven of the gang thus far arrested and confessed their guilt. It is believed the robberies will end when the police have succeeded in breaking up the gangs on the east side of the city.

When Paul Kinley returned to E. N. Kule's drug store at Germantown avenue and Penn street, where he lives, early this morning, he found the door of his entrance barred. An investigation showed the cellar door had been forced open. He entered the store through the back door to see a thief disappear through the rear entrance.

RENEW CRUSADE AGAINST DEALERS IN UNFIT FOOD

State Agent to Cause Arrest of Distributors' Western Agents. Decayed eggs, rancid butter and unfit poultry are being shipped to Philadelphia from Western cities and sold to housewives here as fresh goods.

Robert M. Simmers, special agent of the State Dairy and Food Department, who will today cause the arrest of a number of dealers alleged to be using "rotts and spots" in articles they offer for sale.

CHINATOWN COP CELEBRATES

Reiley, on Force Twenty Years, Gives Party to Comrades. Lieutenant Reiley and policemen attached to the 11th precinct, Chinatown, were guests of Special Police Station Hugh Reiley, at his home, 122 North 11th street last night, when he celebrated the 20th anniversary of his entering the service.

Reiley, who is 42 years old, has figured prominently on the police force for his work in Chinatown, where he has made many important captures. It is said that he is the only man on the force who speaks the Chinese language.

750,000 IN CONTRACTS

Work Will Give Employment to Hundreds of Men. Contracts aggregating approximately \$750,000 are now under way in the Bureau of Public Works giving employment to hundreds of men, according to George S. Webster, Chief of the Bureau.

Included in the work now in progress are contracts for branch sewers, six bridge contracts. It is estimated that about 10 per cent of the total cost of these projects goes directly to mechanics and laborers.

SERVICES IN CONVENT FOR REV. MOTHER STUART

Archbishop Celebrates Requiem Mass at Sacred Heart.

Simplicity marked the memorial services this morning in the chapel of the Convent of the Sacred Heart, 1839 Arch street, when Archbishop Freudenberger celebrated a Requiem Mass for the soul of the Rev. Mother Janet Erskine Stuart, sixth superior general of the Society of the Sacred Heart, who died in Southampton, London, the evening of October 21.

The religious, a large number of the Children of Mary, an association of women attached to the convent, who devote themselves to works of charity, and the children of the school, the latter in their dark uniforms, assembled in the chapel this morning to honor the memory of the Rev. Mother Stuart, who only last May visited the academy.

The Archbishop celebrated the Mass and gave the absolution. His servers were his secretary, the Rev. Wenceslaus Walsh, and the Rev. Thomas McNally. The Rev. Francis Clark, rector of the Cathedral, the Rev. E. F. Spillane, S. J., and Dr. Garrigan were in attendance.

Tomorrow morning a Solemn High Mass will be sung in the chapel at 9 o'clock.

SHIPPING AGENTS AT THIS PORT FEAR REPRISAL BY PILOTS

Many of the Men Said to Be Incompetent, But Absence of Control Makes Complaint Dangerous.

Lack of any adequate control and fear of reprisals are the reasons given by shipping men for not wanting to oppose the Pennsylvania and Delaware Pilots' Association. One agent said that to arouse the ire of the pilots might interfere with quick movements and safety of vessels and aside from a complaint made to the Commissioners of Navigation, which in the end was unavailing, shipping interests were unprotected.

In explaining the complaint to the Commissioners of Navigation, the agent said: "We find pilots delinquent, physically or mentally, and occasionally we find them intoxicated. They are not to be entrusted with the care of our vessels.

We are afraid by the force of circumstances compelled to accept these incompetent men. Then we make a complaint to the Commissioners of Navigation, who order an investigation and permit the incompetent man to go on his vacation. His pay goes on all the same.

"The Pilots' Association pools its earnings and the expenses are deducted therefrom and they are divided equally among the members of the association. A suspended member gets his pay and a vacation. That sort of delinquency is more of an incentive for a pilot to be delinquent in his duties, rather than a warning lesson to him.

"If the Commissioners of Navigation would suspend pilots who are incompetent, never to be renewed, the pilots might take some cognizance of their power."

"Federal supervision of the pilots, some shipping men feel, would be the solution of the problem which made the United States naval authorities enter a complaint against the service on the Delaware River and Bay.

The license to pilot vessel at this harbor is awarded by the States of Pennsylvania and Delaware. Yet it is an impossible task for any citizen of either State unless a relative to one of the present pilots to secure an appointment. The Pilots' Association has the situation bound up tight.

TOO MANY BIRTHDAY GIFTS FROM COUSIN HIS TROUBLE

George Jones Number Two Declares He Didn't Steal Articles. If the police do not find a man who "looks like" George Jones, 3048 Lombard street, before October 27, they declare George, of this address, may have to go to jail.

From deductions made by the detectives, George has been suffering from too many birthdays. On each of these occasions he was given a present by the missing George. The "rotts and spots" in memory, for he insisted upon giving George, of the Lombard street address, a birthday gift about three or four times a week. All of these gifts bore a remarkably strong resemblance to goods stolen from the miscellaneous store of Samuel Burke, 123 North 12th street. And that's why George No. 2 was sought and found by the police.

Burke, who sells everything from carpet tacks to a piano, declares his store has been robbed regularly about twice a week for the last couple months. Naturally, he mentioned the fact to the police, and Special Policeman Lyford arrested George No. 2 as he was pawned an accordion.

"I got that korbion foh ma birthday present" from ma kuzin, who looks lak me," said George. But the policeman was skeptical. He took George to the 12th and Pine street station. There he was identified by many other pawnbrokers who said he had pawned "birthday presents" at their shops.

"If you jus' go ma go and bring ma kuzin," said George, "the complications will be eliminated."

Pending the elimination of complications, George No. 2 was held in \$500 bail for a further hearing by Magistrate Hagerty.

Falls Downstairs From Fatal Attack

As he was about to ascend the stairs of his home, Stuart Washington, 1839 Lombard street, was attacked by heart disease and fell to the first floor. He was taken to the Polyclinic Hospital, but died soon afterward.

J. Franklin Miller 1626 Chestnut St. Carpet Sweepers, Feather Dusters, Brooms, Chamois, Dust Brushes. At prices that are right. "The Housefurnishing Store"

HOUSEHOLD MARKET PRICES KEPT DOWN BY MILD WEATHER

Truck Remains Plentiful, Prices Are Below Seasonal Average and Coal Bills Show Material Decrease.

Philadelphia housewives have more than one reason for being grateful for the long-continued warm weather. They have not only been enabled to realize a considerable saving in coal bills, but have also found that fresh goods from the truck farms have remained plentiful and cheap. Even the fish market, which usually sees a marked soaring of prices with the arrival of cold weather, still maintains the summer figures, despite a growing scarcity of sea bass, blue fish and butter fish.

Meat prices are about as usual, with the exception of beef, which is slightly higher than is customary, bringing 20 cents a pound for rib roasts, 35 for sirloin and from 20 to 25 for chuck roasts. Eggs continue high, bringing from 35 to 40 cents a dozen but it is expected that continued warm weather will see a substantial drop in price. Chickens are selling at 25 cents for broilers and 30 for stewing, while turkeys, though scarce as yet, are expected to be plentiful when the Western markets begin their fall shipments. Fruit is plentiful and of good quality this year and may be bought at prices which are lower than usual for October.

It is expected that the arrival of cold weather will see a marked increase in the retail trade at the Dock-street markets, where the housewife may obtain supplies and eliminate a considerable part of the profit realized by the hucksters and middlemen of the uptown markets. That this method really shows a marked saving to the consumer is shown by comparing some of the retail prices existing on Dock street with those prevailing at the larger markets about the city. This comparison shows:

FISH. Sea Bass—Dock st. (retail), 14c. lb.; uptown (retail), 18c. Blue—Dock st. (retail), 14-15c. lb.; uptown (retail), 18-20c. lb. Haddock—Dock st. (retail), 10c. lb.; uptown (retail), 12c. Halibut—Dock st. (retail), 17c. lb.; uptown (retail), 22c.

VEGETABLES. Cabbage—Dock st. (retail), 15c. basket, 10 heads; uptown (retail), 5c. head. Potatoes (white)—Dock st. (retail), 55c. basket; uptown (retail), 70c. basket. Potatoes (sweet)—Dock st. (retail), 35c. basket; uptown (retail), 75c. basket. Celery—Dock st. (retail), 35c. large bunch; uptown (retail), 55c. basket. Corn—Dock st. (retail), 40c. basket; uptown (retail), 55c. dozen. Tomatoes—Dock st. (retail), 75c. basket; uptown (retail), 35c. peck. Yellow tomatoes—Dock st. (retail), 55c. basket; uptown, 25c. peck.

FRUIT. Apples—Dock st. (retail), \$1.50 and \$2.50 basket; uptown (retail), 20 and 25c. peck. Grapes (Concord)—Dock st. (retail), 10c. lb.; uptown (retail), 15c. lb. Pears (Bachel)—Dock st. (retail), \$1.50 basket; uptown (retail), 2c. lb. (2 qt.).

Imported game will be plentiful and cheap. Scotch grouse will be \$3.50 to \$4 a pair and English plover from \$5 to \$6 a pair. Venison will be of a good quality and inexpensive. It is said.

The only product that has seen a marked increase in price that can be traced directly to the European war is garlic, which is imported from Europe. This is now selling for 25 cents a bunch, as against the usual figure of from 17 to 18 cents.

FREED ON FAKE BAIL BOND

Name of Highland Park Man Forged to Obtain Release. Another alleged worthless bail transaction, involving one of the gang of straw ball goers rounded up last summer by District Attorney Rotan, was discovered today in Quarter Sessions Court.

Carlos Paul, of Highland Park, N. J., appeared before Judge Martin and stated that his name had been forged to the \$500 bail bond, entered before Magistrate Toughill for the release of Louisa Selger, accused of unlawfully having cocaine in her possession.

On May 20, according to Toughill, the man who is alleged to have impersonated Paul was brought to the Magistrate's office and identified by two other men, one of whom was Ernest Dentone, now in Moyamensing Prison awaiting sentence on a \$1000 bail charge.

Toughill said that Dentone was the only man whom he could identify, but he promised to make an effort to get the other voucher for the fake bondsman.

BOY LOADS LOOT FROM STORE IN PROPRIETOR'S WAGON

Youthful Prisoner Accused of Attempting to Rob Place Downtown. A 12-year-old boy, accused of attempted robbery, who would use his victim's horse and wagon to carry off plunder, was arraigned in the 7th and Carpenter streets police station today and sent to the House of Detention for a further hearing. He said he was hungry and out of work.

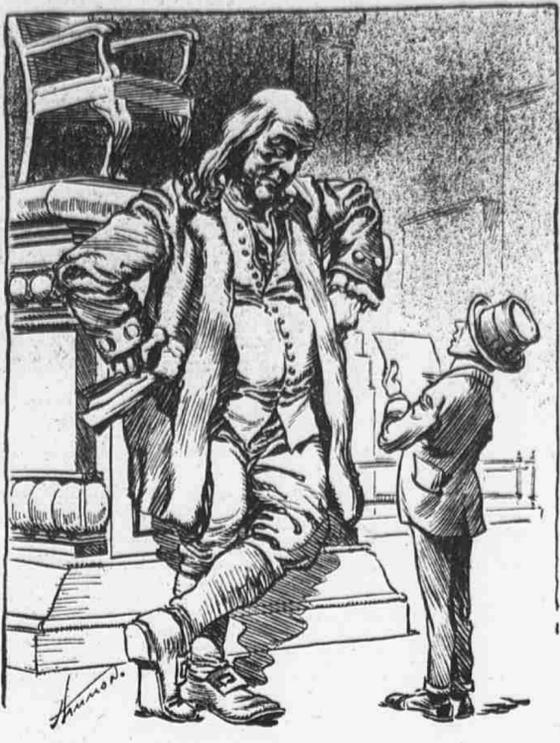
The boy is Andrew Pilosa, 822 North Darion street. Policemen Miaz and Ferphill found him hiding beneath a pile of hay in the feed store of G. H. Schwartz, 27 Carpenter street. In the rear of the store was a horse and wagon belonging to the proprietor.

'TIS A FEAT TO FIT FEET

Shoes that Make a Man well-dressed. Men who want something "different" should wear this new gaiter-top shoe. The fabric tops and the lines of this shoe are decidedly good form and will find immediate favor among smart dressers.

The Big Shoe Store 1204-06-08 Market St. \$4.50 and \$6

FRANKLIN'S STATUE GROWS ELOQUENT



Even the Postoffice was deserted when Benjamin Franklin dismounted from the pedestal on Chestnut street and stretched his bronze legs.

"This modern phrase of 'safety first,'" he said, "is wrong. As you remember, it was I who wrote that 'they who give up essential liberty to obtain a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety.' It is so with the voter. In the stress and strife of modern life he should forego the temporary advantage of protection for the greater boon of having clean men in the United States Senate."

"The voter should plow deep while sluggards sleep. They should not leave that until tomorrow which they can do today. It will not do for the voter to neglect his opportunity next month, for as you know, a little neglect may breed mischief; for want of a nail, the shoe was lost; for want of a shoe, the horse was lost; for want of a horse, the rider was lost."

"It is evident that you have been keeping posted on current events," was suggested.

RED CROSS FUND FOR CITY REACHES \$16,917.15 TOTAL

Women Making Hospital Supplies and Garments for Wounded. Francis B. Reeves, treasurer of the American Red Cross for Philadelphia and vicinity, reports contributions have swelled the fund to \$16,917.15, an increase of \$102.11 since the last report.

Prominent society women are making garments and supplies for the service of the Red Cross abroad, and are working with renewed energy so they can help stock the "Red Cross" on its second trip of mercy. All classes are helping in the work.

Table listing donors and amounts for the Red Cross fund. Includes names like Mary A. Simpson, Mount Airy Presbyterian Church, etc.

WOMAN'S SCREAMS CAUSE NEGRO ROBBER'S ARREST

Police Think Man Responsible for Five Other Hold-ups. The sixth hold-up within two weeks at the corner of 17th and Jefferson streets took place last night when a Negro, who held a crowd of Negroes at bay, was held by a crowd of Negroes at 400 North 15th street, as she was crossing the street shortly after 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Gormley declares Johnson struck her when she offered resistance. Her screams brought J. L. Wyckoff, 1447 North 17th street, and J. H. Trainer, 1529 Thompson street, students at the Philadelphia Dental College. Johnson "boiled" with a crowd at his heels, but was caught after a chase of three blocks. A small race riot was prevented by the arrival of Special Officers Dervin and Sibre, who held a crowd of Negroes at bay.

Johnson confessed and was held in 400 North 15th street on the charge of highway robbery and assault and battery. The police believe Johnson is responsible for the other five hold-ups which have taken place at the same corner and about the time of night. Pawn tickets were found in Johnson's room and a certificate showing that he had been paroled from the penitentiary at Trenton after serving part of a three-year term.

DISLIKES HOSPITAL COT

Farmer With Broken Shoulder Blade Prefers His Home. One day on a cot is sufficient for Edward W. Hunt, a farmer of Bradford County, N. J., who was taken to the Cooper Hospital, Camden, this morning, after having driven his team into a leading express train. The accident occurred below Magnolia. The horse was killed and the wagon demolished. Hunt suffered a dislocated shoulder blade and was brought to the hospital on the train with what the physician is responsible for tonight, although physicians have asked him to remain.

GOLD SHELL EYE-GLASSES WORTH \$5.00, FOR \$1.00 a Pair FOR SATURDAY ONLY. ALEXANDER'S OPTICIANS

GOOD SHIP JASON WILL CARRY CARGO OF WELCOME GIFTS

Receiving Station in City Hall Courtyard Is Stocked With Apparel for Little Sufferers From War.

With almost \$100 in cash contributions and donations of clothing worth many times more than that amount, the Child Protection officials in charge of the Christmas ship pavilion in City Hall courtyard believe the United States collier Jason, which is to carry the gifts to the children of the fighting nations will be filled from stem to stern with the Christmas cargo alone.

And if contributions continue to flow in as generously in the remaining days as they have in the past, then it will be an unfortunate orphan, indeed, who doesn't receive at least one gift from an American sympathizer.

Yesterday was the biggest day of all. From the time the doors opened at 6 in the morning, until the closing hour at 6, a constant stream of donors brought in their offerings. Persons of all nationalities crossed the threshold and the packages all bore the same greeting, "Merry Christmas," "Joyeux Noel" or "Froeliche Weihnachten."

So great has the interest in the expedition become that many are asking for more time to contribute. "Extend the date a little later than the 25th," say they, "and we will promise a good-sized contribution."

The pavilion is so overstocked with gifts that it was found necessary to do the first packing this morning in order to make room for today's contributions. Dozens upon dozens of articles are piled high on the counters to be taken to the Curtis Building. Ten dozen pairs of woolen gloves, 52 dozen pairs of stockings, 5 dozen sweaters, 1 dozen knitted scarfs, 2 dozen pairs of leggings, 11 dozen "nighties" and innumerable sets of underwear are but some of the things which will be carried away to await shipment.

The placing of bowls outside of the two doors of the pavilion in the hope of catching chance contributions from passersby was a happy thought, for yesterday some generous pedestrian dropped a \$20 note into the counters without saying a word about it. Thus for the money contributions total \$92.31.

HID HOTEL KEYS IN HAIR

Women Accused of Shoplifting Had Valuable Laces in Trunk. Mrs. Catharine Blake and Mrs. Frances Bell, charged with shoplifting, were held under \$50 bail each for a further hearing next Friday by Magistrate Renshaw in the central station today.

The women said they lived in New York and had a winter home at Bradley Beach, Fla. In rooms in two hotels occupied by the women were found three trunks filled with laces and wearing apparel the police believe were stolen. The keys were found in Mrs. Blake's hair.

The women were arrested in the store of William Curry, 118 Chestnut street, yesterday. They purchased a valise there and then, it is alleged, stole a leather handbag. Mrs. Bell said that she was the divorced wife of Dr. Francis Bell, of New York.

2000 IN MADRI GRAS PARADE

Lancaster Avenue Builders' Association Busy With Preparations. Elaborate preparations are being made for the Mardi Gras of the Lancaster Avenue Builders' Association, which will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. The midway between 30th and 32d streets, between Locust and Haverford street is being decorated for the occasion.

The feature of the celebration will be the Mardi Gras parade Saturday night. Prizes of \$100 and less will be offered for attractive costumes. More than 2000 persons and light bands are expected to be in line. The line of march will be from 4th street and Lancaster avenue to 26th street, to Hamilton avenue, to 25th street, to Haverford street, to Lancaster avenue and to Preaton street. Children will be admitted to the parade for 50 cents, adults 10 cents and clubs of more than 10 members will be admitted free.

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Trousers A Specialty JONES 1116 Walnut Street.

Autumn's Mountain Scenery Mauch Chunk & Switchback. THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS in October. One Day Excursions to Mauch Chunk \$2.50 including Ride Over Switchback. \$1.00 Seashore Excursions—Every Sunday. Leave Chestnut Street & South Street Ferries 7:30 A. M.

PIANIST'S PASSPORT IN LONDON RECITES ALIEN RESTRICTIONS

Austrian Ordered Not to Travel About, Carry Firearms or Signaling Apparatus, and Penalty Named.

Anman Rosalska, an Austrian pianist, who left this city today en route for San Francisco, carries with him a passport issued by E. R. Henri, Commissioner of the London Police, with a detailed outline of what an alien may and may not do in London in wartime.

The pianist was under contract at a London music hall when war was declared. He was informed that at the expiration of his contract his services would no longer be desired, and accordingly he came to this country. He spent several days at the Bellevue-Stratford. The passport carried by him reads: "Take notice that you are by the Alien Restriction Order, 1914, subject to the following provisions: 'You are to inform the police where you are registered, if you are to change your address, if any circumstance arises affecting in any manner the accuracy of the particulars furnished by you for the purpose of registration. This must be done within 48 hours of the circumstance occurring.'

"You may not travel more than five miles from your registered address without obtaining an official permit from the police. 'You may not, without an official permit from the police, have in your possession any of the following articles: Any firearms, ammunition or explosive; any petroleum spirit, naphtha, benzol or other inflammable liquid in quantities exceeding three gallons; any apparatus or contrivance intended for or capable of being used for signaling apparatus, either visual or otherwise; any carrier or homing pigeons; any motorcar, motorcycle or air craft; any cipher code or other means of conducting secret correspondence. 'The contravention of the above or of any other provision of the alien's restriction order subjects you to a fine of £100 or imprisonment for six months. 'Any person who aids or abets any person in any contravention of the order, or knowingly harbors any person whom he knows or has reasonable grounds for supposing to have acted in contravention of the order, is subjected to the same penalties. (Signed) 'E. R. HENRI, 'Commissioner of Police of the Metropolitan Police.'

APPLICANTS PASS TESTS

Civil Service Commission Announces Those Eligible for Positions. Applicants passing the examination of the Civil Service Commission for the post of sewer inspector and inspector in the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries are:

- INSPECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES. Salary, \$900 to \$1000 a year. Lester Labbinger, 1012 Spruce st., 80.6. William Downham, Jr., 2550 Walnut st., 67.6. Henry S. Chubb, 1519 24th st., 83.4. James J. Roster, 2141 Oakford st., 81. Joseph A. Franz, 2746 Wharton st., 81.1. Harry Tokamp, 2025 Birch st., 78.2. Alwell S. Dwyer, 2827 Oxford st., 76.5. James P. Dwyer, 1416 S. Collis st., 76.3. Harry L. Goldstein, 420 Woodland ave., 75.5. SEWER INSPECTOR, BUREAU OF SUBVEYS. Salary, \$5 a day. John O. J. Slesinger, 5614 Filaski ave., 91.2. Herbert S. Steelman, 257 E. Girard ave., 86.9. Jay C. Helms, 2039 N. 14th st., 83.3. James S. Kennedy, 2021 Arch st., 83.4. Thomas W. Larkin, 1012 Warren st., 82.1. Wilfred H. Noble, 871 W. Johnson st., 81.9. Albert L. Wilson, 2943 11th st., 78.1. Thomas D. Smith, 1832 N. Camac st., 77.9. Harry P. Hedding, 1909 Harrison st., 77.2. John A. Mullin, 316 N. 92d st., 76.6. Walter E. Brown, 3303 Plover ave., 76.6. Thomas A. McMahon, 421 N. 5th st., 76.4. Leo P. Garson, 4551 Parrish st., 76.5. Otto L. Dally, 3424 Sanson st., 75.7. Edward W. Vegeite, 141 S. 62d st., 75. Richard W. Kern, 5032 N. Darlen st., 72.9. William L. Ritter, 2025 Sanson st., 71.7.

\$10,000 LOSS IN FIRE

Buildings on Farm of Earl S. Phillips Destroyed. WEST CHESTER, Pa., Oct. 23.—A large barn, garage and other buildings on the farm of Earl S. Phillips, East Marlborough township, were destroyed with valuable contents by fire of mysterious origin early last night. The entire loss is estimated at more than \$10,000.

Perry's

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